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For: METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR MULTIMEDIA  
COMMUNICATION VIA PUBLIC TELEPHONE NETWORKS

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination, please enter the following  
amendments to the above-identified patent application.

In The Claims:

Please amend claims 1, 9, 12, 13, 15, 17, and 22 as  
follows:

1. (Amended) A system for providing a plurality  
of multimedia telecommunication services to a plurality of  
multimedia workstations at least two of which are distributed  
among a first premise and a second premise, the system  
comprising:

a multimedia central office located at a third  
premise, the multimedia central office including:

[which includes] a digital switch complex coupled  
to at least one of the plurality of workstations via a public  
digital telephone network[,];

[the multimedia central office including] at least  
one twisted pair transceiver coupled to a second one of the